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DYNAMIC BANDWIDTH  
MANAGEMENT FOR VOICE  
TRAFFIC IN A DIGITAL  
COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

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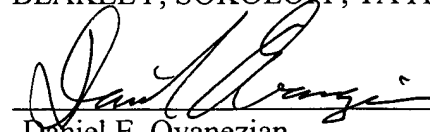
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